## NIGERIAN METEOROLOGICAL AGENCY Central Forecast Office (CFO) WEATHER OUTLOOK ISSUED ON 01.05.2025 AND VALID 00:00 02.05.2025 TO 23:59 04.05.2025

## FORECAST OUTLOOK:

**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup>:** Light to moderate dust haze is expected over parts of Borno, Yobe, Jigawa, Kano and Katsina states within the forecast period with chance of isolated thunderstorms over parts of Adamawa, Kaduna, Gombe, Zamfara, Bauchi and Taraba states during the afternoon/evening hours. Sunny skies with patches of cloud are anticipated over the North Central region with prospects of morning thunderstorms over parts of Niger and Kwara states. Later in the day, thunderstorms are anticipated over parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Benue, Plateau, Niger, Nasarawa and Kogi states during the afternoon/evening periods. Over the Southern region, cloudy skies with spells of sunshine are expected with chances of isolated thunderstorms over parts of Ekiti, Oyo, Osun, Cross River, Akwa Ibom, Rivers and Bayelsa states during the morning hours. In the afternoon/evening periods, thunderstorms are anticipated over parts of Ogun, Ekiti, Ondo, Oyo, Ondo, Edo, Abia, Imo, Enugu, Ebonyi, Anambra, Bayelsa, Lagos, Delta, Rivers, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup>:** Light to moderate dust haze is anticipated over parts of Borno, Yobe, Jigawa and Katsina states throughout the forecast period with prospects of thunderstorms over parts of Taraba state during the morning hours. Later in the day, thunderstorms are expected over parts of Taraba and Adamawa state during the afternoon/evening hours. Sunny skies with patches of cloud are expected over the North Central region with chances of thunderstorms over parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Nasarawa, Kwara and Kogi states during the afternoon/evening hours. In the Southern region, thunderstorms are anticipated over parts of Abia. Ebonyi, Bayelsa, Cross River, Akwa Ibom and Rivers states during the morning hours. In the afternoon/evening periods thunderstorms are envisaged over parts of Imo, Enugu, Ondo, Ogun, Ekiti, Cross River, Akwa Ibom, Rivers, Delta and Bayelsa states.

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup>:** Light to moderate dust haze is expected to persist over parts of Borno, Yobe, Jigawa, Kano and Katsina states within the forecast period with chance of isolated thunderstorms over parts of Adamawa and Taraba state during the afternoon/evening hours. Sunny skies with patches of cloud are expected over the North Central region with chances of thunderstorms over parts of the Federal Capital Territory, Nasarawa and Niger states during the afternoon/evening hours. Over the Southern region, cloudy skies with spells of sunshine are expected with chances of isolated thunderstorms over parts of Cross River and Akwa Ibom states during the morning hours. In the afternoon/evening periods, thunderstorms are anticipated over parts of Ondo, Abia, Imo, Bayelsa, Lagos, Delta, Edo, Rivers, Cross River and Akwa Ibom states.

## Advisory:

- i. Strong winds may precede the rains in areas where thunderstorms are likely to occur, public should take adequate precaution.
- Airline operators are advised to get airport-specific weather reports (flight documentation) from NiMet for effective planning in their operations.
- iii. Residents are advised to stay informed through weather updates from NiMet. Visit our website www.nimet.gov.ng